

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in this application.

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1. (Original) A catheter package packaging a catheter comprising a catheter body having a distal portion and a proximal portion, a tube wall defining a lumen passing through from the distal portion to the proximal portion and a metal reinforcement member embedded in the tube wall, and a connector part fixed to the proximal portion of the catheter body, wherein the distal portion of the catheter of 10 to 50 cm in length is held in a natural state with no external force exerted thereon, and the remaining proximal side of the catheter is held in a curled state with a curvature diameter of 10 to 50 cm.
2. (Currently Amended) A catheter package as set forth in ~~(1)~~ above claim 1, wherein the catheter is an angiography catheter or a PTCA guiding catheter.
3. (Currently Amended) A catheter package as set forth in ~~(2)~~ above claim 2, wherein the reinforcement member is a stainless steel wire material.
4. (Currently Amended) A catheter package as set forth in claim 2 ~~or 3~~, wherein the distal portion of the catheter has a predetermined curved shape in the natural state thereof.

5. (Currently Amended) A catheter package as set forth in ~~any of (1) to (4)~~ above claim 1, wherein the catheter is held in the state of astride over two trays separately integrated with each other.
6. (New) A catheter package as set forth in claim 3, wherein the distal portion of the catheter has a predetermined curved shape in the natural state thereof.
7. (New) A catheter package as set forth in claim 2, wherein the catheter is held in the state of astride over two trays separately integrated with each other.
8. (New) A catheter package as set forth in claim 3, wherein the catheter is held in the state of astride over two trays separately integrated with each other.
9. (New) A catheter package as set forth in claim 4, wherein the catheter is held in the state of astride over two trays separately integrated with each other.